



CITY OF LODI COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Adopt resolution awarding purchase of wood utility poles (\$43,056.90) (EUD)
MEETING DATE: February 16,2005
PREPARED BY: Electric Utility Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council adopt a resolution awarding the bid for the purchase of 54 wood utility poles to the low bidder, North Pacific Lumber, Portland, Oregon, in the amount of \$43,056.90.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: On January 19,2005, the City Council approved specifications and authorized advertisement for bids for wood utility poles as needed during calendar year 2005.

On February 2,2005, staff received and opened the following bids for 54 utility poles of various classes and sizes:

North Pacific Lumber, Portland, OR	\$43,056.90
J H Baxter Company, San Mateo. CA	\$43,974.93
McFarland-Cascade, Tacoma, WA	\$44,509.37
Nevada Wood Preserving, Silver Springs, NV	\$46,336.81
Adobe Lumber, American Canyon, CA	\$48,498.28
Bell Lumber & Pole, Bellingham, WA	\$72,158.02

Wood utility poles are needed on an ongoing basis for replacement of damaged or deteriorated poles and for routine line maintenance and upgrades.

FUNDING: Electric Utility Department 2003-2005 Financial Plan and Budget,
Business Unit 161652, Pages **E-4** and **E-42**


James R Krueger, Finance Director


Alan N Vallow, Electric Utility Director

Prepared by Joel Hams, Purchasing Officer

cc: EUD Electrical Engineer

APPROVED: 
Blair King, City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 2005-28

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY
COUNCIL AWARDING THE BID FOR THE
PURCHASE OF WOOD UTILITY POLES

WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on February 2, 2005, at 11:00 a.m., for the purchase of 54 wood utility poles, as described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on January 19, 2005; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Bid</u>
North Pacific Lumber, Portland, OR	\$43,056.90
J. H. Baxter & Co., San Mateo, CA	\$43,974.93
McFarland Cascade Company, Tacoma WA	\$44,509.37
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WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends award of the bid for the purchase of 54 wood utility poles of various classes and sizes be made to the low bidder, North Pacific Lumber, of Portland, Oregon.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the bid for the purchase of 54 wood utility poles of various classes and sizes be made to the low bidder, North Pacific Lumber, of Portland, Oregon, in the amount of \$43,056.90.

Dated: February 16, 2005

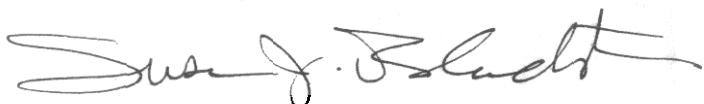
I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2005-28 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held February 16, 2005, by **the** following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - Hansen, Hitchcock, Johnson, Mounce, and Mayor Beckman

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None



SUSAN J. BLACKSTON
City Clerk